Turkey Vegetable Loaf

Makes 6 servings, 616 calories per serving.

- 1 lb. ground turkey
- 3 carrots, grated
- 3 celery ribs, finely chopped
- 1 cup mushrooms, finely chopped
- 1 small zucchini, grated
- 1 package dry onion soup mix
- 1 Tbsp. parsley
- 2 cups oatmeal
- 1 egg, lightly beaten
- 1/4 cup milk
- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
- 2. In a medium size bowl, combine all ingredients.
- 3. Salt and pepper to taste.
- 4. Mix thoroughly and shape into a loaf.
- 5. Bake 1 hour.

Golden State Salad

Makes 4 servings, 204 calories per serving.

- 1/2 cup unflavored, nonfat yogurt
- 1 1/2 Tbsp. orange juice concentrate, thawed
- 1 1/2 tsp. honey
- 1/8 tsp. salt
- 3 cups diced red and/or green apples
- 1 cup (about 6 ounces) diced pitted prunes, snipped into quarters
- 1 cup sliced celery
- 1/3 cup sliced green onions
- 4 butter lettuce leaves
- 1 1/2 Tbsp. sunflower nuts
- 1. In large bowl mix yogurt, orange juice concentrate, honey and salt to blend thoroughly.
- 2. Add remaining ingredients except lettuce and sunflower nuts.
- 3. Toss to coat.
- 4. Line bowl or individual plates with lettuce leaves.
- 5. Fill with fruit mixture. Sprinkle with sunflower nuts.

Peanut Butter Apple Muffins

Makes 15 muffins, less than 125 calories per serving

- 1 1/4 cups white flour, sifted
- 1/2 cup whole wheat flour, sifted
- 4 tsp. baking powder
- 3/4 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/4 tsp. nutmeg
- 2 Tbsp. peanut oil
- 1/4 cup unsalted creamy peanut butter
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 cup skim milk
- 3/4 cup apple, raw and chopped
- 1. Sift flours, baking powder, salt, cinnamon and nutmeg together and set aside.
- 2. Cream oil and peanut butter with sugar, beating until light and fluffy.
- 3. Add egg and beat well.
- 4. Stir in milk and chopped apple.
- 5. Add flour mixture, and stir just enough to moisten dry ingredients.
- 6. Fill muffin tins 2/3 full and sprinkle top of batter with an additional 2 tablespoons sugar mixed with 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon.
- 7. Bake at 400 degrees for 20 to 25 minutes.